

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

**Address to:  
Commissioner of Patents  
MAIL STOP RCE  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

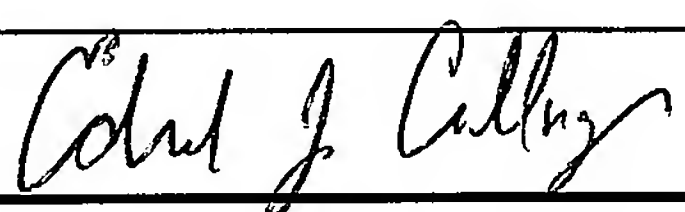
Application Number	10/587,689
Filing Date	July 27, 2006
First Named Inventor	Alfred FREIBERGER
Art Unit	3746
Examiner Name	Peter J. BERTHEAUD
Attorney Docket Number	FREIBERGER - 1 PCT

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.**  
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. [Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114]a. ☐ Previously submittedi. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_b. ☒ Enclosedi. ☐ Amendment/Replyiii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)iv. ☒ Other **Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement**2. [Miscellaneous]a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)b. ☒ Other : **Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.313(c)**3. [Fees] The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. **03-2468**.i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)iii. ☒ Other **Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h)**b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ enclosedc. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

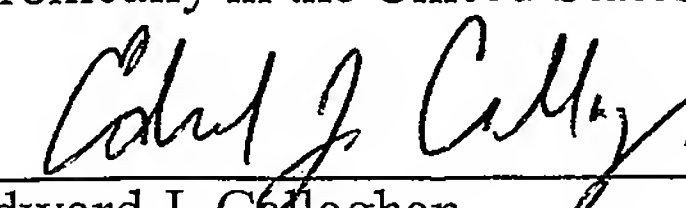
**WARNING:** Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name (Print/Type)	Edward J. Callaghan	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	46,594 (Customer No. 25889)
Signature		Date	March 11, 2010

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed electronically in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 11, 2010.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Edward J. Callaghan